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THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Stephen Christopher Porter

Serial No.: 10/029,568

Filed: December 20, 2001

For: DETACHABLE DEVICE WITH
ELECTRICALLY RESPONSIVE
ELEMENT

Group Art Unit: 3731

Confirmation No.: 4944

Examiner: Vy Q. Bui

RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT (37 C.F.R. 1.121)
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Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Respectfully submitted,

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Sir:

In response to the Notice mailed on July 21, 2004, the section entitled "Claim Listing," including the text of withdrawn claims (from the previous Response to Election/Restriction Requirement mailed July 1, not July 7, 2004 as erroneously indicated in the Notice) is provided. Please note that no changes were made to the claims and thus a claim listing was not required when responding to the Restriction Requirement mailed June 23, 2004, under 37 CFR 1.121 or MPEP §714. Although the Notice is assumed to have been sent in error, the following section is fully responsive to the Notice and in accordance with Revised Amendment Practice under 37 CFR §1.121.